

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

- 1-21. (Canceled)
- 22. (Currently Amended) A solid oxide fuel cell comprising an anode, a cathode and an electrolyte, said anode and cathode arranged on opposite sides of said electrolyte, at least one of said anode and said cathode having opposite exposed and non-exposed sides, said non-exposed side being flat and said exposed side formed with also being flat except for a plurality of discrete, round surface depressions formed therein extending only partially into a thickness of said one of said anode and cathode.
- 23. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said plurality of surface depressions are formed in the exposed side of the anode.
  - 24. (Canceled)
- 25. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said anode is substantially square.
- 26. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said anode is substantially round.
- 27. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said surface depressions have a depth of about 10-90% of the depth of the anode.
- 28. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said anode has a thickness of from about 0.3 to about 2 mm.
- 29. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said surface depressions have a depth of about 0.23 mm.

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30. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 22 wherein said surface depressions have a depth of about 0.23 mm and said anode has a thickness of about 0.33 mm.

31. (Original) The solid oxide fuel cell of claim 23 wherein said anode is comprised of a ceramic tape laminated onto said electrolyte.